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CHINA—*Hongkong*.—During the period between August 10 and August 30, there occurred 46 cases of cholera. 43 of the patients being Chinese, 2 Europeans, and 1 Australian. Forty cases ended in death.

CHINA.—During the two weeks from August 4 to August 17, there were recorded in Shanghai 93 deaths from cholera among the Chinese population.

JAPAN.—During the period from August 7 to August 27, there occurred in Nagasaki 300 cases of cholera and 128 deaths. In Moji, up to August 24, there had been recorded 404 cholera cases, with 222 deaths.

Respectfully,

FRANK H. MASON,
United States Consul-General.

The SURGEON-GENERAL.

HAWAII.

Outgoing quarantine transactions.

HONOLULU, H. I., *September 6, 1902.*

SIR: The following is the report of outgoing quarantine transactions at this port for the week ended September 20, 1902: Number of sailing vessels inspected and passed, 2; number of steamships inspected and passed, 3; number of cabin passengers inspected and passed, 43; number of crew inspected and passed, 543; number of pieces of baggage disinfected, 12; number of sailing vessels disinfected, 1.

Respectfully,

W. C. HOBODY,
Assistant Surgeon, In Temporary Charge.

The SURGEON GENERAL.

[Telegram.]

HONOLULU, H. I., *October 21,*
via San Francisco, Cal., October 28, 1902.

WYMAN, *Washington, D. C.:*

There was a death from plague at Honolulu on October 16.

HOBODY.

ITALY.

Report from Naples—Inspection of vessels—Plague in Odessa.

NAPLES, ITALY, *October 13, 1902.*

Week ended October 11, 1902.—Steamship *Lombardia* for New York. Nine hundred and forty-five steerage passengers and 150 pieces of large baggage inspected and passed; 1,250 pieces of baggage were disinfected by steam. The rejection of 75 steerage passengers was advised.

Smallpox at Naples.

During the week ended October 11, 1902, there were officially reported at Naples 4 cases of smallpox with no deaths.

Bubonic plague in Russia.

Under date of October 5, 1902, it was reported that during the past seven days, 8 cases of plague had appeared in Odessa outside the area previously pronounced by the Odessa sanitary committee to be infected. Five of the cases occurred in the quarters of the better class. The total